

Services Summary

(Please limit responses to one word or short phrases. This information will be used in the compilation of a statewide master chart for parents and local school districts/PSAs.)

Name	NCLB Tutors
City and County	Akron, OH
Proposed location of service delivery	All local school districts/PSAs in Michigan
If service delivery is not at the student's school, is transportation provided, and if yes, is there a separate fee? (Note: Districts are not required to provide or pay for transportation.)	Students will work from home, the school computer lab, or another convenient location with online access, and the parent and/or student will provide transportation if the program will be accessed outside the home.
Services period start and end date for 2004-05	Throughout the 04-05 school year (based upon approval date)
Type of certification/qualification of instructors	Certified teachers provide instruction and support via a live interactive communication delivery system. Each student is assigned a teacher certified in the subject area or grade level in which the student is tutored. All teachers have extensive online instruction experience.
Individual or small group (maximum # in small group)	individual and small group (Maximum number in small group: 10)
Length of each tutoring session	Tutoring sessions are generally offered 2-5 hours per week, at the convenience of the student. Students will have access to their own remedial curriculum program 24 hours a day, 7 days a week online.
Number of sessions per week	The student's individual curriculum is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week online. Online tutoring assistance is available 7 days a week from 2:00 pm to 1:00 am EST.
Cost per session	Hourly rate: \$40.00 Weekly rate: \$120.00 Monthly rate: \$500.00
Grade levels served	K-12
Tutoring available in Reading and/or Math	Reading and Math
Title of tutoring curriculum/program utilized	PLATO; CompassLearning; Rosetta Stone; Study Island; World Book online
Evidence of program effectiveness	For the past three years, 2100 "at-risk" students have accessed online tutors through NCLB's parent company, White Hat Management. Using the components of NCLB Tutors, students have achieved at least one year's academic progress within one academic school year.
Specifics of reporting to district, parents, and teacher(s) (format, frequency, method of communication)	NCLB Tutors provides students, parents and teachers with a customized cyber "classroom" that contains a tracking component, called the Learning Management System (LMS). LMS provides students, parents, and teachers access to student academic progress and assignments on a secure web portal 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.
Description of services available to diverse populations (i.e., special needs, specific	The individualized curriculum of NCLB Tutors is delivered in a variety of formats: students pace themselves; receive

languages)	immediate feedback; and have extensive practice opportunities. These methods are successful in teaching students with learning disabilities. In addition, one component of the curriculum, Rosetta Stone, is very effective for ESL students.
Other information:	